Creating a Summer Goals Map

The Summer Map is being used as a way to identify plans/goals for summer. In essence, you are creating an Essential Next Steps map (map #10), but keeping it focused just on the summer. Benefits of this strategy are 1) mapping is familiar and engaging for the student and 2) the strategy is time limited, specific and focused. Focus on very specific goals and identify what was doable during the weeks of summer. This map can serve as a starting point with picking up RENEW in the fall; providing a natural place to start.

Steps to creating a ESSENTIAL NEXT STEPS Summer Map:

This would be appropriate to use with a student that has completed a GOALS map, but will not have time to move to teaming before the end of the school year.

1) Move to Next Steps Map, but ask student to pick three goals they could work on for the summer. They may need a little help to think through which goals are workable in the summer without a team. Map these three goals using the Next Steps procedures.

2) Next move to the Essential Next Steps for Summer Map. The following guidance may be helpful with the process.
   - Draw a graphic that refers to each of the three goals
   - For each of the pictures (goals) identify which essential next steps could be pursued in the summer to support that goal. Suggestion would be to focus on those next steps that can be met without a great deal of support, or with support of resources that will be available to the student throughout the summer.

Here is a sample. This student had completed the Goals and Next Steps Therefore, his summer map includes basketball which was not on his Next Steps map. See below.
NEXT STEPS!

Goal Map 10

1. Get a job $$$
   - Research
   - Prepare for interviews
   - Dress for success
   - Allcon Construction, others
   - Mr. Bishop support
   - Mr. Korte support

2. GPA at graduation of 3.3

3. Get driver's license
   - Find out what classes there are in the summer, if get construction job.
   - Take exam as adult in August.
   - Uncle Charles - bus tickets

SUMMER '14

Monday Pius @ 7:30 AM
5:30 PM

Practice shooting
YMCA (membership)

MPS-Summer League

End of summer